

## DOINGS WEST OF THE MISSOURI

**A Snowslide in Oregon, and Hold-Up in an Idaho Gambling Joint.**

## ROB STRONG BOX

**Alfred Buck, Minister to Japan, Died Very Suddenly, While Hunting.**

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Yokohama, Dec. 5.—Additional details of the tragic death of United States Minister Buck show that he died without a word and fell over



dead while setting a bird snare. The government buildings are draped with black and the flags are at half mast.

**Hold-Up Room.** Pocatelli, Idaho, Dec. 5.—Three masked men entered the Eagle club rooms last night and held up the thirty-five inmates getting away with a thousand dollars. No clue has been found as to where they escaped to.

**Rob Express Co.** Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 5.—The strong box of the Wells Fargo wagon was mysteriously looted last night and no clue to the robbers can be found. The robbery occurred while the wagon was going to the depot and happened between the depot and the company's office. A large sum of money is missing and the driver, Spaulding, is also missing and the police are looking for him to throw some light on the crime.

**Big Snow Slide.** Baker City, Ore., Dec. 5.—Two men were killed and a great damage of property inflicted in a snow slide at Cornicopia last night. Many more persons are thought to have been killed but particulars are unobtainable.

## CAN'T LAND HERD OF BUFFALOES

**English Health Board Refuse to Allow Buffalo Bills Animals to Come Ashore.**

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) London, Dec. 5.—Mr. Hanbury, president of the board of agriculture, has decided, owing to the existence of the foot and mouth disease in the some of the New England states, he will be unable to permit the landing in England of a herd of buffaloes belonging to the "Wild West Show," which opens in London Dec. 26.

**Overzealous Employee.** Two printed forms valued at one farthing were lost recently at Baku, on the Transcaucasian railway, and the station master had telegrams sent to every station in the Russian empire to ask if they had been seen anywhere. The company has since had to pay telegraph charges amounting to nearly \$10,000, and the overzealous official is now out of employment.

**Garrison for South Africa.** At the end of the year there will still be about 50,000 British troops in South Africa, and it is probable that a garrison of this size will be maintained during the whole of next year or for longer. It is hoped that ultimately 15,000 men will be sufficient to garrison South Africa, but it is possible that the military authorities may determine, for the purposes of training, to keep the army corps there.

**Two Asses.** As Paddy was going along the street one day he came across a chip potato van drawn by an ass. He stood and looked at it for some time, when a passer by asked him what he was staring at. "Oh," says Paddy, "begorra, an' Ol' been munny a lazy ass in Ireland, but Ol' never seen wan that needs a stamo engine to push it."—Tit Bits.

**Opened St. Delno's Library.** St. Delno's library, which has been erected at Hawarden as a memorial to the late Mr. Gladstone, was formally opened on Oct. 14, by Lord Spencer, who succeeded the late Duke of Westminster as chairman of the Gladstone memorial committee.

## TOWN HAS 2,000 IN A FEW HOURS

**Eagle City, Ok., Becomes a Flourishing City in Only a Day's Time.**

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Eagle City, Ok., Dec. 5.—Eagle City last night was cornfields and raw prairie. This morning it was a town of 2,000 inhabitants, with a complete municipal organization, a daily newspaper established, a fairly good hotel, four restaurants, several saloons, at least a score of mercantile establishments, and no end of gambling houses. The residence section as yet boasts of few structures other than canvas tents, but all the business enterprises are housed in substantial frame structures, many of which lack nothing but paint to give them a finished appearance. The lot drawing began at daylight. Each boomer paid \$25, which entitled him to a twenty-five foot business lot or a fifty foot residence lot, the selection to be by lottery. As soon as the choice sites were drawn the bidding for them became lively, and several sales were made before 9 o'clock at from \$500 to \$1,000 each.

## NOTED WOMAN IS DEAD IN ITALY

**Famous Nurse of the Confederates During Civil War, Passes Away in Florence.**

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Florence, Italy, Dec. 5.—Mrs. Ellen Orbeson, widow of John Harris, formerly United States consul at Venice, a distinguished confederate nurse, died here today. She was 86 years of age.

## BAD EYE DELAYS HUNTING TRIP

**Emperor William Has Been Forced to Abandon a Proposed Outing.**

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Berlin, Dec. 5.—Owing to inflammation of the left eye of the emperor was unable to go hunting today, as he proposed, at Siawentzitz, Silesia. He remained at the castle and will return to Berlin tomorrow.

## SPARKS FROM THE WIRES

A bull movement in Wall street failed.

An aged woman at Niles, Mich., was fatally injured by two burglars. Investigation is being made of the Sullivan Co., Ind., negro lynching.

Seventy thousand persons visited the Chicago fat stock show yesterday. The Brooklyn Preparatory School foot ball team has started for Chicago.

Governor Yates of Illinois hopes to be able to start for Florida on Monday.

Chicago's White Sox will train in New Orleans for spring work next year.

Ex-Speaker Thomas B. Reed is at the point of death from Bright's disease.

The Chicago real estate board opposes the pending anti-smoke ordinance.

In the dispute with the St. Paul road over the traffic contract the Union Pacific yielded.

Wayne McVeagh attempted to settle the coal strike independent of the commission.

Supt. Cooley's attitude on the book trust question will be investigated by the Chicago teachers' council.

A Roman Catholic paper stated that Bishop Quigley of Buffalo would succeed the late Archbishop Feehan.

Oliver Wendell Holmes was confirmed by the Senate as associate justice of the United States supreme court.

St. Louis police are investigating the peculiar death of six members of one family all of whom were insured.

James J. Corbett brought suit for \$25,000 against a Wheeling, W. Va., paper which said that he had smoked in a car with ladies.

Law suit has been threatened against the Merchants' hotel in Chicago because of danger of fire from a closed stairway.

Jessie Bartlett Davis of Chicago lost \$10,000 worth of gems and \$200 in cash while driving in Chicago, but recovered the property.

Mrs. James Wolf of Chicago was detained by her parents and her husband was forced to obtain a court writ to secure her liberty.

President Roosevelt refused to pardon J. M. McKnight, convicted of embezzlement from the German National Bank of Louisville.

Assurance from former opponents of Cuban reciprocity were received by the president that they would support the ratification of a treaty.

Herman B. Wickersham, the former Lincoln Park board president, has been held by the Chicago grand jury on two charges of embezzlement.

Paymaster General Bates of the army said that the claims of army officers advocating the canteen are borne out by his department officers.

**Ancestors of Rousseau.** Prof. Eugene Ritter of Geneva has written a book on two female ancestors of Rousseau, Mme. Bourgeois and Mme. Durant. Mme. Bourgeois was so quarrelsome and eccentric that, when nearly 60 years old, she was brought before the courts charged with being a witch, tortured and banished from Geneva. Mme. Durant maltreated her chambermaid, who thereupon committed suicide by jumping into the Rhone.

## FATE OF MINERS TOUCH THE BOARD

**Lawyer Darrow's Clever Work in Choice of His Witnesses is Most Telling.**

## TO RAISE WAGES

**It Is Almost Certain That Pay of Miners Will Be Raised if Nothing Else Is Done.**

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Scranton, Dec. 5.—From the character of the present witnesses that Attorney Darrow is bringing before the commission to testify as to the real conditions of the miner's life it is probable that he will gain his point of sympathy.

**Commission Impressed.** The witnesses and their straightforward story of their sufferings on the disastrous hotel fire of yesterday morning impressed Darrow also says that he has some extra fine testimony that he will bring forward this afternoon or Saturday.

**Raise Wages.** If it does nothing else it is agreed that the companies will raise the wages of the workmen as both attorneys for the defense and prosecution are a unit on this question. Miners and their families are the ones called to the stand thus far this session.

## STEAMSHIP IS MUCH DELAYED

**Low Water Keeps German Liner in Bremen Harbor Till Tide Changes.**

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Southampton, England, Dec. 5.—The North German Lloyd steamer Kronprinz Wilhelm, which sailed from Southampton for New York at 3 o'clock this afternoon should have sailed from this port yesterday. She was detained at Bremen by low water occasioned by the recent easterly gales. The steamer had among her passengers J. W. Huntley of Chicago.

## ROCKFORD HAS A SEVERE BLAZE

**Big Department Store Burns, and the Loss is Many Thousand Dollars.**

(Special To The Gazette.) Rockford, Ill., Dec. 5.—Fire last night completely gutted the large department store of Wortham Bros. and the Browns' Business college inflicting a loss of \$322,000 with a partial insurance of \$249,000. The total value of the building and its contents was valued at \$392,000. The fire broke out at ten o'clock at night and burned for two hours.

## PRACTICAL JOKERS CAUSE BOY'S DEATH

**Five Men Distend Boy's Stomach With an Air Pump.**

Paterson, N. J.—Harry Ruit, an employe of a motive works, died as a result of a practical joke played on him by five of his fellow workmen. They were arrested charged with causing his death. It is alleged that they "blew up" Ruit with a pneumatic pump, having a pressure of 110 pounds to the inch. The boy's stomach became greatly distended and after several hours of great suffering he died. When the men accused of having caused Ruit's death were arraigned in court the dead boy's father rushed at one of them, named Dorn, knocked him down, and started to kick him. The father was restrained by the court officers. The accused men were held without bail on a charge of manslaughter.

**She is a Climber.** Mrs. Fannie Bullock Workman of Worcester, Mass., has broken all climbing records in the Himalayas by making the ascent of Loongma glacier. The feat has astounded the British authorities, who did their best to dissuade her from the attempt. Mrs. Workman is the wife of William Hunter Workman, traveler and author.

**Remarkable Clover Stalk.** Miss Emma Doney of Powder valley, Pennsylvania, recently found a remarkable clover stalk, having fourteen stems, twenty-seven of them having four leaves each and seven being five-leaved. During the summer she gathered 101 four-leaved clover stalks, nineteen with five leaves and one with the exceptional number of six leaves.

**Cosmopolitan London.** It is said that there are more Irishmen in London than there are in Dublin, more Scotchmen than in Edinburgh, that half of Soho is French, and the whole of Saffron hill Italian.

## MOROS WERE MUCH MORE FRIENDLY

**Captain Pershing Visits the Native Chiefs, and Good Feeling is Shown.**

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Manila, Dec. 5.—The trip of Capt. John J. Pershing, the commander of the forces that have been fighting the rebellious Moros in Mindanao, to the country of the friendly chiefs has increased the friendly feeling toward the Americans. While on his trip the friendly Moros showed the captain a spot where there was a good view of the sunken gunboats, seventy feet below the surface of Lake Lano. It is believed that six of the gunboats were scuttled by the Spaniards while escaping from Zamboanga when the Moros were victorious in the insurrection of 1896. The captain and his men had a hard trip, but are well pleased with results.

A fire, the origin of which has not been explained, has swept over Dumaguete, the capital of oriental Negros. The municipal and provincial buildings, with large stores of rice were destroyed.

An American syndicate has purchased the largest coffee plantation in northern Luzon and will start to farming on the latest methods.

**Constabulary Inspector Hendryx** who was reported to have been killed in Samar, has been found alive, though badly wounded, after the fight with the Ladrones Nov. 25. The inspector wandered through the jungle for nearly a week and his wounds became gangrened, but he is expected to recover.

## NO TROUBLE IS NOW FEARED

**The United States Does Not Anticipate Clash with Powers Over Venezuela.**

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Washington, D. C., Dec. 5.—There is no ground for alarmist stories which are being circulated over the possibility of a collision between the United States on one hand and Germany and Great Britain on the other, over the coercive measures about to be applied by the last two mentioned powers for the purpose of collecting debts due German and British subjects.

Naturally the administration is a little nervous lest some untoward act should precipitate a serious situation which might involve the United States, but if Germany and Great Britain keep within the lines in correspondence which preceded the present demonstration there will be no infringement of the Monroe doctrine, and consequently no trouble for the United States.

The attitude of the administration with reference to just such affairs as have arisen with reference to the Venezuelan government was stated by President Roosevelt in his first message to congress, in which he said:

"The Monroe doctrine is a declaration that there must be no territorial aggrandizement by any un-American power at the expense of any American power on American soil. It is no wise intention as hostile to any nation in the old world."

**Forbidden Land Grabbing.** This doctrine has nothing to do with the commercial relations of any American power, save that in truth it allows each of them to form such as it desires. We don't guarantee any state against punishment if it misconducts itself, provided that punishment does not take the form of acquisition of territory by any non-American power.

Undoubtedly Great Britain and Germany are jointly acting in accordance with the wishes of this government as expressed to Germany when contemplating such a step separately a year ago.

## ARCHBISHOP FAINTS IN HOUSE OF LORDS

**Most Rev. Frederick Temple is Overcome While Making Address on the Educational Bill.**

London, Dec. 5.—While speaking on the education bill in the house of lords the archbishop of Canterbury, Most Rev. Frederick Temple, was overcome and would have fallen had it not been for timely assistance. Amid a sensation the archbishop, who is almost blind and is aged 81 years, was led out of the house of lords by the archbishop of York, Most Rev. William Dalrymple MacLagan, and the chaplain of the house. The weakness of the aged primate was almost as great as upon the occasion of the coronation of King Edward VII., when the king had to raise him to his feet after he had paid homage to the sovereign. The collapse of the archbishop was due to excitement, which, owing to his extreme feebleness, he cannot sustain. He soon revived and was able to return to Lambeth palace. He is reported to be recovered.

**Remarkable Balloon Ascension.** James Glaisher, the meteorologist, is ninety-three years of age. Forty years ago he made one of the most remarkable balloon ascensions on record. He was able to record a height of 28,000 feet before he became unconscious, and the balloon probably reached 35,000 feet before his companion Mr. Coxwell, managed to pull open the valve.

**Union of Cemetery Employees.** San Francisco cemetery employees have formed a union.

## CLEVELAND HAS VERY BAD FIRE

**Blaze Destroys Two Factories, and an Immense Financial Loss Results.**

## ONE MAN IS KILLED

**Walls Fall on Firemen; One Is Killed, and Two Others Are Badly Injured.**

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Cleveland, Dec. 5.—Fire last night in the five story trunk factory of Like and Rocket and the Bourbon and Olive machine company resulted in the death of one fireman and the complete destruction of the entire plant.

**A Bad Fire.** The building which is located in the warehouse and factory district of the city broke out shortly after midnight and could not be gotten under control by the firemen, the walls falling about three thirty this morning.

**Killed and Maimed.** One fireman named Jones was killed under the falling walls and two more were so severely crushed that they will probably die. The building was a new one and modern throughout. It was five stories high.

## PLANNED DEATH OF KING ALFONSO

**Anarchist Under Arrest at Madrid, Shows Dagger He Hoped to Use on King.**

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Madrid, Dec. 5.—The anarchist, Antonio Pulgar, who was arrested at Orense yesterday and said he had come from Buenos Ayres to assassinate King Alfonso, was examined by a magistrate today. He said he was a member of a society which had deputed him to murder the king. He produced a dagger which was to have been used in accomplishing his purpose.

## PROPRIETOR SMITH HELD FOR TRIAL

**Owner of Lincoln Hotel Will Be Tried For Manslaughter.**

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Chicago, Dec. 5.—F. A. Smith, proprietor and Edward Weber, night clerk of the Lincoln hotel in which fourteen persons were smothered to death Thursday morning were arraigned today, charged with being accessory to manslaughter before a grand jury. The cases were continued until the 15th. Catastrophe has resulted in a crusade against cheap hotels having inadequate means of escaping from the building in case of a fire.

## BOY UNDER SUSPICION OF KILLING EMPLOYER

**Youthful Apprentice to Wealthy Maker of Surgical Apparatus is Thought to Have Poisoned Beer.**

New York, Dec. 5.—An arrest growing out of the death of George F. Leyh, the aged and wealthy maker of surgical apparatus, who died in his store in Williamsburg, Brooklyn, after drinking poisoned beer, is to be made soon. Robert Westphal, the 14-year-old boy who was employed by Mr. Leyh, and who was with him when he drank the beer, has disappeared. The boy and his employer had a quarrel a few hours before the old man's death and Mr. Leyh swore at him. Mr. Leyh called his daughter, Isabelle, and told her to write a letter to Mrs. Westphal, mother of the boy, telling her that Robert was not attending to his work properly. About 9 a. m. a couple of hours before the old man drank the poisoned draught, the daughter, Isabelle, said she saw the boy drinking beer and that he then remarked that it had a bitter taste.

**Robbing the Dead.** Following the news that a pick-pocket had despoiled Senator Hoar of a purse containing \$150 comes the further melancholy intelligence of how Senator Keane has been robbed of a dress-suit case containing his entire outfit of "glad rags." Evidently the light-fingered fraternity is determined to leave our senators nothing but their togas and their integrity.

**Chance for Girl Bachelors.** It is hard enough to be a good minister, but, according to Rev. W. Gehman, to be a good minister's wife you must not have too much tongue, must love your husband and his work, must not be jealous or worldly or lazy or untidy, must be economical, handy, love children, be a good housekeeper, vocalist and evangelist. Engagements are ready for girls answering the description.

**Elastic Paper.** Ex-State Senator Arkell of New York has invented a kind of paper which will stretch to a certain extent without tearing. There is a considerable demand for such a substance, for lining sugar barrels, etc. A great drawback about ordinary papers is that they will not give a particle and therefore tear easily. The Japanese crepe paper probably suggested the new elastic paper.

## SHAMROCK THIRD IN A BIG FIRE

**Sir Thomas Lipton's Cup Challenger Is Saved by Very Hard Work.**

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) London, Dec. 5.—The Shamrock III, Sir Thomas Lipton's new challenger for the America cup, had a narrow escape from being burned in a fire last night which did great damage to Denny's shipbuilding yards at Dumbarton. Only strenuous efforts saved the challenger, now well advanced in construction.

For an hour a special force of men had hard work to safeguard the challenger. All the material parts of Shamrock III are safe, although the construction of the yacht will be delayed for some time. Shipbuilder Denny said that he feared at one time that there was not the slightest hope of saving the challenger. The damage is estimated at \$100,000 and 700 men will lose their employment temporarily by the fire. "Shamrock III certainly has begun with hard luck early," said Sir Thomas Lipton. "Shamrock II, too, also had a touch of fire. I fear that the damage done to the shipyard may seriously retard the work. If the models, which were not in the shed, are destroyed, it will be a serious matter."

## MOROCCO'S SULTAN IS VICTORIOUS

**Defeats the Rebels in a Pitch Battle, Inflicting a Very Heavy Loss.**

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Madrid, Dec. 5.—Advices from Tangier today say the forces of the sultan of Morocco have, after heavy fighting, finally defeated the rebels in the Zennour territory. The sultan narrowly escaped capture and his troops sustained heavy losses. The pretender to the throne remains at Taza.

## MINNESOTA GETS THE BIG GAME

**Wisconsin Schedules Husky Gophers for Their Thanksgiving Game at Madison.**

(Special To The Gazette.) Madison, Wis., Dec. 5.—The date and place of the Minnesota-Wisconsin game of next year has been decided upon. The game will be played here Thanksgiving day.

## STATE NOTES

Former Congressman L. M. Miller died at Oshkosh.

Plymouth will have a new high school building.

A shoe company has been organized at Chippewa Falls.

A pentathlon athletic contest may be held at Appleton.

An engine and twelve cars were demolished in a wreck at Columbus.

The survey for the electric line from Kaukauna to Green Bay has begun.

A large company mess hall will be erected at Fort Sheridan at a cost of \$150,000.

The West Salem Telephone company has moved its headquarters to La Crosse.

An Ontario, Canada, manufacturing company wishes to move to Green Bay.

The library board and city council of Ripon will unite to decide upon a site for a library.

Thirteen cases were disposed of in the federal circuit court at Madison yesterday.

Adolph Rosin, a Parisian jeweler, is looking over the pearl supply at Prairie du Chien.

Louis Dasser, a Centerville farmer, inaugurated a crusade against the slot machines of the city.

James Gaffney of Neenah was adjudged guilty by the jury in the circuit court at Oshkosh.

No tidings have been received at Pennington, the alrship man, who owes nearly \$1500.

A LaCrosse family are sick from eating chicken, supposed to have been poisoned with paris green.

Candidates of a new college fraternity at Appleton were forced to walk the streets in summer attire.

H. J. Allyn of Port Washington was found dead in his bed. It is believed that he committed suicide.

Three deer belonging to John Halverson of Iowa county were seized because he had two hunting licenses.

J. E. Coffland of Richland Center has been chosen president of the state board of trustees for insane asylums.

Rumors come from Madison of a duel between two students, one an athlete, the trouble being caused by a coed.

Miss Olive Oaks at Oshkosh was electrocuted while trying to turn on a light. Her foot was in contact with a metal register.

An acceptance of the question for debate proposed by the state university has been made by the university of Michigan.

The Christmas edition of the Cardinal, the daily published at Madison, will be issued entirely under the charge of the young women.

## THOMAS REED A VERY SICK MAN

**Bright's Disease Is His Fundamental Trouble, and Physicians Are Much Worried.**

## SLIGHTLY BETTER

**Former Speaker Is Resting Easier Today, and Is Still Able To Take Nourishment.**

(Special By Scripps-McRae.) Washington, D. C., Dec. 5.—Thomas Reed is still a very sick man and while the doctors in charge of the



THOMAS BRACKETT REED, case this morning announced that he was better, still his condition is considered very critical and much fear is felt for his recovery.

**Bright's Disease.** The physicians in charge say that appendicitis is but a small factor in the illness and that the real trouble is Bright's disease that has taken an aggravated form and is difficult to cope with, with the present complications.

**Seems Better.** This morning his temperature was better and his pulse and respiration normal. The anemic symptoms were abating and his mind was clear and he was able to retain nourishment.

## CHILD SWALLOWED A BOX OF OPIUM

**Ten-Year-Old Beloit Girl Took Large Quantity of the Drug by Mistake.**

(Special To The Gazette.) Beloit, Dec. 5.—The two-year-old daughter of D. W. Kelly of the Chesborough-Morse Grocery Co., yesterday afternoon swallowed an entire box of opium tablets, which she had secured possession of. Her recovery was at first despaired of, but the physicians worked over her until nearly six o'clock this morning and they now feel assured that there is no further danger.

## Copyright Law Lifts Prices.

The law passed in England preventing the sale there of pirated copies of musical compositions went into effect the 1st of the month, and the day before the prices of such copies on the London streets rose from 4. and 5 cents to 12, and even as much as 18 cents. At one stall a notice was posted stating that the sale would be continued up to midnight.

**To Protect the Birds.** An international agreement for the protection of birds that are useful to agriculture was signed at Paris on March 19, by representatives of Belgium, France, Switzerland, Sweden, Spain, Portugal, Austria-Hungary, Greece and the principalities of Monaco, Lichtenstein and Luxembourg.

**What a Woman Does.** The chimes of Grace church, New York, are played by a woman. Muscles are not absolutely necessary to the modern bell-ringer, and Miss Bertha Thomas' work is by no means arduous, for she merely has to play on a little nine-note keyboard electrical apparatus in which the bells.

**He Knew Why It Was.** Mamma (to a friend who is lurching with her)—I don't know why it is, but I always eat more when we have company than when we're alone. Tommy (helping himself to the third piece of cake)—I know why it is—'cause we have better things to eat.—Brooklyn Life.



## BOOKS DELIGHT MANY VISITORS

FASCINATING EXHIBITION IN THE  
CHILDREN'S LIBRARY

COLLECTION IS WELL CHOSEN

Handsome Illustrations Add Beauty  
to Many of the Books for  
Young People.

For the lovers of books, especially to those who have also an interest in children there could be nothing more fascinating than an hour or more spent in the children's library where the exhibition of new books is being held this week.

Quite a large number of parents and other book lovers have availed themselves of the opportunity offered by this exhibit and without exception they have found their visit much more interesting than had been expected. The only regret that has been heard expressed is that the parents who have not made it convenient to attend the exhibit do not realize what they are missing.

**Better Books For Children**  
Children's books are certainly not what they were a few years ago, the latest books being published in a style that is as pleasing to the older people as to the children. The books are handsomely bound and are filled with the choicest illustrations, being artistic in every sense of the word.

**All Ages Pleased**  
In the 150 new books just purchased the tastes of all ages from the child in the kindergarten to the eighth grade pupils have been considered. All of the books are of the highest standard. For the little tots there is William Wallace Denslow's Mother Goose with the most interesting and amusing illustrations; Kindergarten stories by Kate Douglas Wiggin; Tommy Toddlers by Albert Lea with the grotesque illustrations by Peter Newell and the Brownie books.

**A Riddle Book**  
One of the most amusing books is Guess Again by Bridgman. This book is illustrated in the yellows, reds, greens and blues so popular in posters. Every other page contains a riddle and on the opposite side is the answer illustrated. The Just So Stories by Kipling, is also one of the newest books.

**Popular Indian Stories**  
It is especially interesting to know how popular Indian stories are becoming with the child readers. In the new books are to be found stories suited to all ages. Stories of the Red Children by Dorothy Brooks, is written in regulation primer style, in the simplest language. Then comes the Stories of Indian Children, by Mary Hall Husted, for children a little older and the final step is found in Wigwam Stories by Mary Catherine Judd, stories which may be read with profit by adults. The most beautiful of the Indian books is Little Indian Folk, illustrated by E. W. Deming, with stories by Theresa O. Deming. The book is delightfully artistic, the illustrations being in soft violets, pinks, greens, browns and blues and black and white.

**Two Artistic Books**  
Another of the most artistic books is Maud Ballington Booth's Sleepy Time Stories in which Chauncey M. Depew has written the introduction and Maud Humphrey has done the illustrating. The stories are charming nature studies, in which birds, flowers and insects become real personalities. The Christmas Angel, by Katherine Pyle, is another book on the same order.

**For Boys and Girls**  
Among the books for older girls are The Spectacle Man by Mary F. Leonard, Patty Fairfield, by Carolyn Wells whose Story of Betty is one of the most popular books in the library; and Handy and Her Friends, the newest Randy book. For the boys there are Behind the Line, a football story by Ralph H. Barbour, Captain of the Crew and the Half Back by the same author and the Captain of the School by Edith Robinson.

**Standard Works**  
Then there are such standard works as Tomlinson's Revolutionary stories, Ernest Seton-Thompson's Animal Stories, the Hardy books for Boys and Girls the Merry Adventures of Robin Hood and The Wonder Clock, both by Howard Pyle.

**Best Editions Bought**  
One of the objects in the purchase of new books is to secure the best editions of the older books and several of these are in the collection. For instance there is the New Amsterdam edition of Hans Brinkie, one of the children's classics, the Scribner edition of Little Lord Fauntleroy; the Mac Millan edition of Alice in Wonderland and a complete new edition of Louise M. Alcott's works.

**High Standard Secured**  
Just now the library work is rather at a standstill and will be until possession is taken of the new building. Efforts are confined largely to adding to the stock of books and bettering the quality of the library constantly. This is evidenced in the kind of new books that are purchased.

**Close of Exhibit**  
The exhibit in the children's library will be continued through tomorrow the room being open to visitors both afternoon and evening. After that the books will be placed upon the shelves, to be taken out by the children.

Women love a clear healthy complexion. Pure blood makes it. Burdock Blood Bitters makes pure blood. Bodily pain loses its terror if you've a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house. Instant relief in cases of burns, cuts, sprains, accidents of any sort.

"Neglected colds make fat graveyards." Dr. Woods' Norway Pine Syrup helps men and women to a happy, vigorous old age.

Eczema, scald head, hives, itching of the skin of any sort instantly relieved, permanently cured. Doan's Ointment. At any drug store.

## JANESVILLE WILL MAKE A PROTEST

Statement of Referee Regarding  
Green Bay's Play, Will Be Filed  
with the Board of Control.

Chairman C. C. Parlin of the state interscholastic board of control has adjudged that the high school championship has not yet been decided. Although commonly awarded to Fort Atkinson, the head of the high school association has determined that first honors cannot be claimed by that school until it has satisfied the wishes of Green Bay West Division and Madison high schools for post season games.

Green Bay has challenged Fort Atkinson to a game on Saturday. No arrangements have been made for a meeting on that date, owing in part to the desire to each team to play the match on their home grounds. Madison also wished to meet Fort Atkinson again.

**Janesville Interested**  
Now that Green Bay has suddenly become so prominent in the championship race, Janesville has decided that it is time to come to life and take a hand in the controversy. At the time of their Thanksgiving game with the West Division school, the Bower City boys were strong in their assertion that the game was unfairly won by Green Bay. But they had no idea that the latter institution would put in a claim for premier standing, and consequently no protest was made.

Coach Norris has a statement from Berringer of Milwaukee, who refereed the Thanksgiving game, making affidavit of the unjust treatment which was received. The sworn statement was made out in event of such a case as that which has just arisen, in which Green Bay claims the championship. It gives a detailed account of slugging, swarming on the field by the crowd, reversed decisions by a biased or incompetent official, favoritism, and several other elements of unfairness which militated against a Bower City victory.

**Green Bay's Record**  
This statement will be sent to the president of the board of control at once. That it will throw Green Bay out of the race is regarded as fairly certain by the local boys who participated in the match. Milwaukee, Casey and others can talk from personal experience of the elbow and knee tricks which the Green Bay men practiced in an attempt to disable their opponents. An agreement had been made that Goodsell of Appleton should act as one of the referees. Arriving in Green Bay the locals were told that he was engaged for that date to officiate in a Lawrence-Ripon game. The newspaper reports of the latter game told a different story. Instead, a Green Bay man, Flaherty, was put in, and his decisions, so the boys say, were unjust in the extreme.

**Not Penalized Severely**  
In the Thanksgiving game the referee only penalized the Green Bay men ten yards in the whole game, holding being ruled lawful by that official. In a game at Marinette they had been penalized 130 yards, 20 yards more than the total length of the field. When playing at Sturgeon Bay the officials declared the game forfeited to Sturgeon Bay on account of a row made by the Green Bay men. A Kaukauna teacher who protested in a contest with Green Bay was struck by one of the players. It was impossible to induce Green Bay's referee to penalize Green Bay and when Berringer attempted it he was promptly slugged. When Coach Norris protested he was informed that if he did not like the way things were going and wished to stop the game, Janesville's expenses would not be paid. This would mean a loss of one hundred dollars, and so the game went on, Mr. Norris being practically at their mercy.

## DID NOT WISH TO PART WITH MONEY

Two Bilibulous Gentlemen Objected to  
Paying for Their Supper—  
Changed Their Minds.

Two men well under the influence of cheap liquor went into a leading restaurant last evening to get supper. When they had finished eating they decided that the proprietor looked easy and started to go out of the door, calmly oblivious of the man behind the counter. He called them back and calmly reminded them that they had forgotten to pay for their meals. Immediately there began an argument on the subject which might have continued indefinitely had not Officer Behnke arrived on the scene. At that one of the men began a search for some money but succeeded in resurrectoring nothing save a handful of nails. It was only when Mr. Behnke took a hunt that any cash was produced. The meals were paid for, and the two men ambled off, firmly convinced that they had been unjustly treated.

## REPRESENTS THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

Agent of the Sunday School Union is  
Canvassing the City for Sub-  
scriptions.

J. H. Davies, a field agent of the American Sunday School Union, has been in this city since Saturday to solicit funds to further the work of that organization. He will continue his efforts until Wednesday, when he will go to another field. His work has been as far as possible on the order of a house to house canvass of the city, although this has not been practicable to any great extent. His efforts have been attended by varying success. In general he has found the people rather indifferent to the needs of the Sunday school society, although there has been a marked variation in different parts of the city.

## GENEROUS PLAN IS CARRIED OUT

BUSINESS MAN PAYS FOR HIGH-  
PRICED LECTURE.

UNUSUAL GIFT TO THE PUBLIC

Dr. Coulter, of Chicago, Will Lecture  
at the Presbyterian Church  
Next Friday Evening.

Through the generosity of one of this city's most prominent business men who desires that his name shall not be made public, Dr. John M. Coulter, of the University of Chicago, will give a lecture at the Presbyterian church next Friday evening, December 11, which will be absolutely free to those who attend. The lecture will be given under the auspices of the Men's League of the Presbyterian church of which organization the gentleman who is paying for the lecture is a member.

**A Generous Offer**  
The giving of the lecture is the outgrowth of a suggestion which was made by the Rev. J. T. Henderson at one of the meetings of the Men's League last spring. He spoke of some of the methods by which the church might be enabled to reach the entire community and spoke of free educational lectures as one of the means. At the close of the meeting he was pleasantly surprised by having one of the members offer to bear the expense of one such lecture, the figure which he was willing to invest being \$150.

**A Leading Educator**  
Dr. Coulter, who has been secured to give the lecture, is one of the leading scholars, orators and philanthropists of the day. He has served successfully as president of the State University of Indiana and of Lake Forest university and is now at the head of the botanical department of the University of Wisconsin. It has been said of him that there isn't a plant in the country which he cannot name by sight and while this is an exaggerated statement of his ability he is universally conceded to be the greatest botanist in the country. He is also said to be one of the greatest teachers and the opinion is shared by Rev. Henderson, who studied under him for four years.

**An Inspiring Speaker**  
In addition to his scholarly attainments Dr. Coulter is a man of wide general information and broad sympathies. He is a forcible speaker, possessing unusual personal magnetism and the ability to entertain and carry conviction in what he says. As a lecturer he is in great demand throughout the country and he has proved very popular in the University Extension movement.

**Problems For Men**  
Next Friday evening Dr. Coulter will speak on "The Twentieth Century Man" in which some of the problems of the present will be met by the speaker. The lecture is intended to reach everyone who appreciates hearing live subjects discussed by a man whose scientific study and wide acquaintance with men enable him to speak with authority. It is believed that the lecture will be of special interest to men engaged in the manufacture and commercial enterprises of the city. No one can hear Dr. Coulter without knowing more and being inspired to do more.

**Admission By Ticket**  
While the lecture will be free, admission will be by ticket, being limited to 750, the seating capacity of the church. The tickets have been placed at the Peoples' Drug store, the Bower City bank, J. P. Baker's drug store and the Y. M. C. A. building where they will be given out on application as long as they last.

## JANESVILLE LADIES IN "ENOCH ARDEN"

Mesdames Sweeney and Rexford Charm  
Mendelssohn Club of Rockford,  
In Concert Yesterday.

Mrs. John F. Sweeney, assisted by Mrs. John H. Rexford and Miss Caroline Brittan of Chicago presented the exquisite Strauss musical setting of Tennyson's Enoch Arden before the Rockford Mendelssohn club yesterday afternoon. The beautiful music provided a genuine treat to the members of their club. After the concert a social session followed. The program was as follows:

**PART 1.**  
Enoch Arden.....Tennyson  
(A Melodrama with Musical Setting by Richard Strauss).  
Miss Caroline Brittan, Reciter  
Mrs. John Fuller Sweeney, at Piano  
**PART 2.**  
Cavatine, from the Barber of Seville.....Rosini  
Mrs. John G. Rexford  
Gavotte (Air by Brahms).....Gluck  
Barcarolle.....Rubenstein  
Valse.....Rubenstein  
Under the Rose.....William Fisher  
Dreamy Days.....Robert Ashford  
Little One a-Crying.....Oley Speake  
Mrs. Rexford

## CAPTAIN MCCOY VISITED CITY

Looked Up Local Recruiting Service  
Work and Gave Orders for  
the Future.

Captain Frank B. McCoy of the 3rd Infantry made a flying trip from Milwaukee yesterday to look over the local recruiting situation. He gave a number of general instructions to Private Blake regarding the continuance of the station in this city and the recent limitations in the number of men desired for the service. He seemed well pleased with the results which had come from the stationing of a member of the recruiting service in this city, although he regretted that the later orders had prevented the same activity that was possible formerly.

## EXPECTED TO SEE A FATAL DISASTER

Two Monterey Gentlemen Believe  
That Man on Railroad Bridge  
Narrowly Escaped Death.

Two Monterey residents are firmly of the opinion that they narrowly escaped witnessing a tragedy last evening. As they were coming across the Monterey bridge at a little after five o'clock they saw a man making his way over the railroad bridge near the Woolen Mills. Just as he reached the middle he suddenly gave a lurch, slipped and fell over the side of the trestle.

Just as they expected to see him precipitated to the water below, and severely injured, if not instantly killed, he grasped the ends of the projecting ties, and they could dimly see him struggling in the growing dusk. It was too far away for them to be of any assistance, and they were certain that he would never be able to save himself.

At length they saw him after a couple of ineffectual efforts throw up one foot far enough to obtain a leverage by which he could draw himself up. When he was safe on the trestle he sank in a heap on it, evidently exhausted. They immediately started toward the bridge, but before they could reach it he had disappeared into the bushes near the woolen mill. They did not recognize him as anyone they had seen before.

## VICTORY FOR ALL STARS LAST NIGHT

Took a Game from Leaders in City  
Bowling League—Last Match  
of the Round.

The leaders of the city bowling league suffered defeat last night by the team of third rank. The All Stars were the victors, their majority over the Badgers being 162 pins. It was the last game of the second round of the tourney. Nolan was high at 194, but high average fell to Hockett at 176. The winners took the three games straight, the Badgers slumping in their last game below 650.

The match should have taken place tonight, but was shifted late yesterday afternoon at the request of two of the players who expected to be out of the city today.

ALL STARS.			
Hockett.....	170	162	180
Bergin.....	142	185	185
Maumann.....	148	190	91
Donahill.....	133	182	130
Brice.....	178	148	185
786 792 712-2260			

BADGERS.			
Nolan.....	163	194	148
McCabe.....	159	132	141
McDonald.....	120	124	112
Taylor.....	148	147	136
Haesi.....	107	133	109
749 733 646-2128			

Standings of Teams			
Badgers.....	P. W. L. Pct		
King Pins.....	6 4 2 .666		
All Stars.....	6 4 2 .666		
Belmont.....	6 3 3 .666		

## UNIVERSITY TRACK MEN CALLED UPON

Will Begin Practice Tomorrow for the  
Indoor Meets of the Coming  
Winter Months.

Training for the indoor meets at the University of Wisconsin will begin tomorrow. Coach Kilpatrick has given notice to that effect, calling upon all track men to report in the gymnasium at that time. Light work has been going on for a month past. The aim is to get all of the men in shape for the home meet which will occur on January 6. The indoor meet with the University of Chicago occurs one week later, to take place at Chicago. On the earlier date the official W's which have been earned by the football men this year will be awarded.

## WILL ORGANIZE A CHURCH VERY SOON

Rev. Anda Expects to Take Final  
Steps Toward Founding an  
English Lutheran Church.

Rev. A. C. Anda, the pastor of the English Lutheran Mission has experienced great success in his work. The result of his labor has been greater than he anticipated, and he is confident that the mission will be organized into a church at about the time of the holidays. He is not yet positive regarding the number of members who will be taken into the church at the outset, but he relies upon a steady healthy growth. The element of importance is that he has discovered a strong element in favor of the establishment and support of a church in which the Lutheran faith is expounded in English.

## DOCTORS MEET THIS EVENING

The Rock County Medical Association  
Will Hold Its Meeting at the  
Myers House.

Members of the local medical fraternity will meet in the Myers House this evening to continue their monthly discussions, under the auspices of the Rock County Medical association. The subject will be of an obstetrical nature, papers being arranged upon the subject under the leadership of Dr. J. F. Pember, the speakers being Drs. Palmer, Fifield, Farnsworth and Sutherland. The nurses at the Palmer hospital have been invited to be present. The meeting will begin at 8 o'clock.

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## SOCIAL UNION MEETS TONIGHT

SECOND MONTHLY MEETING IS  
TO BE HELD.

CHANCES FOR YOUNG MEN

An Interesting Subject Will Be Dis-  
cussed Under Leadership of  
G. S. Parker.

Business and professional opportunities for young men will be discussed at the Y. M. C. A. building this evening. The social union club will hold their monthly meeting under the leadership of George S. Parker, supper being reserved at 6:15 by the Woman's Auxiliary. If any forecast may be made from the way in which the membership roll has mounted up, the meeting will be attended by a large part of the entire membership, one hundred and fifty.

No sooner had the membership been limited than a sufficient number of new applications were received to bring the total up to the maximum. At the present time there are nearly fifteen names on the waiting list.

To serve the Social Union Suppers the Woman's Auxiliary has been divided into five sections which will in turn take charge of the remaining five meetings of the year. This gives a large force of women to aid in the management of each supper, and equalizes the labor. Mrs. C. D. Childs is the chairman of the section which will be in power tonight. Under her able leadership the club expects to be especially well served.

No more practical subject than that which is to be handled tonight could be imagined. It is certainly unusually pertinent when discussed before an audience of young men, such as that which will be assembled on this occasion. The speakers, G. F. Kimball, H. H. Bliss, T. O. Howe, A. M. Valentine, I. F. Wortendyke, and the leader, G. S. Parker, are peculiarly fitted to discuss their respective sub-topics.

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We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Green's warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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People's Drug Co., J. H. Hanson & Co.,  
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## NO TOURNAMENT WILL BE PLAYED

Hand Ball Courts Will Not Be Used  
for Tournament, at Least Be-  
fore the New Year.

All plans for a hand ball tournament in connection with the physical department of the Y. M. C. A. have subsided at least for this year. A single match has been played off out of about sixteen entries, and there is no immediate prospect that another contest will take place. This does not mean that the hand ball courts are falling in disfavor. On the other hand their use is almost constant, but the devotees of the sport include only a small number of those who would be interested in the tournament form of the game. The rest of them are business men who take the game up as an all around physical exercise, exhilarating after a day of office confinement.

## THE HORSE WENT HOME BY ITSELF

Charles Carlson's Horse Got Tired  
of Waiting for Him, So  
Started Off.

Charles Carlson, who lives about three miles north of the city, has reported that his horse was not stolen as he believed when he found it missing a couple of nights ago. He had left it standing on River street, and when he came back it was gone. After a fruitless search of several hours he was obliged to make his way home on foot. When he at last reached his destination he found that the faithless animal had preceded him, evidently becoming tired of waiting for him.

## Beautiful Water Colors

We have just received a shipment of Stationery in boxes decorated with beautiful water color pictures, six different subjects, size 10x12 inches. They are of a delicate and artistic color, pretty enough for any room, and a beautiful present when mounted.

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## Misses and Children...

We have kept them well in mind and have been told time and again that not only have we got by the largest stock and prettiest styles but that our prices are much lower than at other stores. We can easily prove every statement. We are making very low prices now on all Winter Garments. It will pay to investigate.

## Furs...

Almost everything desirable in Fur Scarfs, Storm Collars, Capes, Jackets, Muffs, Fur Sets for Misses and Children, 200 of them.

## The Bargain De- partment on Second Floor...

is the place to get real Bargains. The Suits at \$4.50 are going fast—why? Because they are made of good wearing cloths and are suits that actually sold for \$10 to \$20. We have a fair assortment left but we repeat, they are going fast. Great time to fit out the girls for school. Any alterations can be easily made by any woman handy with the needle.

## The Capes are Immense Bargains—

made of wool astrachan, kersey and plush fur trimmed or richly embroidered. A good cape can be bought at any price you want to pay from 3 to 10 dollars. They are wonderful bargains and are all splendidly made and in perfect condition.

## Dress Goods Bargains...

at 6c, 7c, 10c, 12½c, 18c—At 25c, 54 inch dark suiting made to sell at 40c. Blankets, Crash Table Linens that are away under price. 3000 Yards Outing Flannel 8c grade we offer at 6c. It will pay to call and see what we are offering in the 2nd floor bargain department.

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## NOVEL METHOD OF MAKING BUTTER

A PHILADELPHIA ARTIST'S ACCIDENTAL DISCOVERY.

### TIPPED A MILK PITCHER OVER

Then Noted That Evaporation in the Table Cloth Left Rich Butter on Top.

Philadelphia—When Charles M. Taylor, Jr., spilled his cream pitcher on his lunch table over two years ago, he muttered something under his breath, but the peculiar actions of that cream on the tablecloth aroused his curiosity and set him to make experiments. The result is an invention for making butter by absorption, without the aid of a churn or physical labor.

When he wants butter now he takes a tin pan, puts in some absorbent cloth and a piece of blotting paper, pours in a quart of cream, and puts the whole in the refrigerator overnight. In the morning he opens the refrigerator and finds over a pound of pure, fresh butter ready for the breakfast table. The story of his discovery is one of the most remarkable in the history of invention.

Over two years ago Mr. Taylor had a servant prepare him his luncheon in his studio in Walnut street.

He was busy and preoccupied, and so, when in reaching for a biscuit, he knocked the cream pitcher over with his sleeve, he simply set the pitcher right again and decided to let the cleaning of the tablecloth to the servant.

He went on eating and thinking, and had almost finished his lunch, when he noticed that the cloth had absorbed most of the moisture from the cream and had left a thick, semi-solid white matter that looked like cheese. When he saw what the cream had done, he took a little of the white matter on the end of his knife and examined it carefully.

"It looks like butter," he muttered to himself. He tasted it. "I believe it is butter," he said. Then he began to reason it out. He knew that butter was the fatty substance of cream, left after the moisture had been extracted. Then he began to experiment. He tried several kinds of cloth and blotting paper, and had a partial success with each. He has now completed his apparatus to his entire satisfaction. The pans are 9 inches by 15 inches, and are somewhat over an inch in depth.

The absorbent cloth is a specially made toweling; so woven that the folds are clearly marked. When the cloth is folded it makes four thicknesses in the bottom of the pan. Over that the blotting paper is placed. This is so folded that it makes a little pan of itself and holds the cream. It is about a half-inch deep. When these two things are placed in the pan everything is ready for butter-making. All that then remains to be done is to pour in as much cream as is wanted and set it in the refrigerator overnight. In the morning it is taken out, and instead of the cream, there is a layer of pure, fresh butter about a half-inch thick. Then you simply take the blotting paper out of the pan and the butter rolls off ready for breakfast.

The advantages which Mr. Taylor claims for his invention are:

No expensive outfit required. About fourteen ounces of butter can be made from one quart of cream. Little labor; nature does the churning. Can be made in quantities as wanted for table or commercial purposes. Absolutely free from adulteration. Greater percentage of butter made from cream than by churning. Sanitary purity for invalids. Apparatus can be shipped at minimum cost, owing to light weight. Chicago Inter Ocean.

### CHARGE OF HERESY IS LODGED

Trustees of Furman Baptist College Ask Professor's Resignation.

Columbia, S. C., Dec. 5.—The trustees of Furman university, the Baptist college at Greenville, S. C., called for the resignation of Dr. Gordon B. Moore, professor of philosophy and economics, on grounds of heresy. The students held a meeting and resolved to stand by Dr. Moore, who refuses to resign, and if he is forced to leave, to leave with him. There are factions in the Baptist convention now in session and serious trouble threatens.

To Abolish Titles.

Paris, Dec. 5.—Deputy Fournier has introduced a bill in the chamber of deputies providing for the abolition of French titles of nobility. The house took the measure into urgent consideration and referred it to a committee.

Dies of Cancer.

Milton, Wis., Dec. 5.—Ludwig Kuntz, professor of natural history and physiology in Milton college, is dead of cancer of the throat. He was a man of note as a naturalist and was accepted as an authority in many lines.

To Succeed Abbe Colin.

Montreal, Dec. 5.—Rev. L. M. Leacock, director of the Grand seminary, has been elected supervisor general of the Sulpician Order in Canada, to succeed the late Abbe Colin.

New Teacher at Illinois.

Bozeman, Mont., Dec. 5.—Prof. W. F. Williams of the Agricultural college has accepted a position as assistant professor of electrical engineering in the University of Illinois, at Urbana.

Many Cows Are Diseased.

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 5.—Hoof and mouth disease has invaded Connecticut. A herd of 200 cows in Goshen belonging to Byron Eldridge has been attacked with the disease and many have died.

### WEEKLY MARKET LETTER.

Chicago—The wheat market the most of the week was influenced but little by the Armour operations, and had an opportunity to show its independent strength, but it is a difficult matter to advise customers or to follow a market that is susceptible to the whims of one man. Legitimate conditions, however, cannot be changed; in due time they will prove paramount, and the best advice I can give you is to have some wheat bought at the time. Do not let the fluctuations from day to day, or the reported doings of anyone, worry you. When the market has had a break and looks weak buy some, and wait until you can get a profit out of it. Wheat bought at these prices, with the known conditions is the best investment you can make. In addition to the strong legitimate situation, however, in much higher prices ultimately are receiving help for a nature that was not looked for at this time of the year. A bad crop reports from our own Winter Wheat States, also from the Argentine where a wet harvest is threatened. This is of more importance than the mere mention of it indicates, for it is a well-known fact that on several occasions half of the Argentine crop was lost after being almost harvested owing to the lack of up-to-date warehouse facilities in that country. While the advices from Argentina are very conflicting so far Broomhall, who is in a better position than anyone to give us the facts, says bad weather prevails and is causing much uneasiness. A siege of bad weather there from now on would complete the destruction caused almost everywhere this year by too much rain, and make good wheat a scarce article all over the world.

My private advices from Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Kansas comment on the advanced stage of the growing crop of winter wheat and the prevalence of the Hessian fly. Of the latter, we have official confirmation from State authorities and private crop reporting bureaus. Owing to the warm to hot weather, invasion will bear close watching. The one bear card for several weeks has been the probable large surplus Argentina will have to export and it was further predicted that the quality of the wheat there would be extra good. It is fully three months hence before this wheat can be laid down in Liverpool, so no matter what the quantity may be, it cannot act as an immediate competitor and as for the quality, the better it is the greater will be the demand for it, as all foreign importing as well as exporting countries are sadly in need of good wheat. Six months ago every hope of the bear crowd was centered in the predicted free movement of our own winter wheat crop, and some three months ago, you will remember, the Manitoba surplus was the chief argument of the bears. It was expected that wheat from there would come forward with a rush and cause no demand whatever for our own wheat. Since then the movement from Manitoba has been very large, but, nevertheless, our exports have been very large, showing a total of almost equal to a year ago, and cash wheat and December in this market has advanced over 10c per bushel and we are now told that 85 per cent of the Manitoba crop has been marketed, and fully 65 per cent of the Spring wheat crop of this country has left farmers' hands, which seems probable before movement to date. The movement of Spring wheat has been largest during the last two months. The receipts at Minneapolis since October 1 show a total of almost 20,000,000 bu. and at Duluth a total of almost 15,000,000 bu. or a sum total of about 44,000,000 bu. in two months' time. In addition to this a large amount has been ground by country mills, and diverted through other channels. Ordinarily there is a heavy accumulation of supplies at this time of year, not only in Minneapolis and Duluth, but at all the northwestern country stations. We find, however, that country elevator stocks in the Northwest are the smallest for many years, almost all and Duluth, the total stock in all elevators there at the present time is only about 8,500,000 bu. compared with 13,350,000 bu. a year ago. Stocks at all seaboard points are also the smallest for many years; nowhere are the stocks any larger. The importation question is, where has all the wheat gone to? We are led to believe our exports from July 1, 1901, to July 1, 1902, would not be over 150,000,000 bu., but up to this time, only five months of the crop year, we have exported 12,042,000 bu. (some of it Manitoba wheat but no more than the usual proportion), which will explain where that much of our big movement has disappeared but the bulk of it has been made into flour and sold, and we are told that millers are so far ahead that the year not seeking new business, which shows the consumption is far in excess of previous years, if in fact it is not in excess of the production. This argument is, too important to brush aside and is the main contention of every bull. Our visible supply notwithstanding primary receipts since July 1st show a total of 151,665,000 bu. compared with 143,895,000 bu. during some time a year ago, is still about seven bushels less than it was a year ago at this time, with every promise that the maximum has about been reached. When the turning point does come, there will be no rapid reduction in the visible and probably so severe a scarcity of wheat next spring, that there will be a scramble among the shorts to cover, such as we have not experienced for some time, and the only way to profit by this stampede is to ignore all the advice or news and keep "long" of some wheat all the time. Northwestern advices also predict a material falling off in the receipts at once. This is only natural with two-thirds of the crop already marketed in the first three months since harvest. I see nothing to discourage a bull; on the other hand, everything favors holding and I believe in a very short time may wheat will be established over 80c. Speculation could easily

then carry it to 90c and I doubt very much of it will sell below 75c again. Conditions from every point of view are more bullish today than they were a year ago at this time when the market advanced quickly to almost 85c and it is safe to say only the apathy shown so far by the general public is responsible for the price being at least 10c a bushel higher than now prevails. Probably the presence next week of our stock brethren will inject the necessary life and start the advance. They certainly have offered to them a better proposition than they had at this time a year ago, when, as all of us remember, "they didn't do a thing."

The corn market is feeling the effects of the unseasonable weather and the failure of the new crop to move as freely as was predicted. There is also a large outstanding short interest in May corn which will prevent any material decline. I feel that we could have some further upturn, and would advise waiting for it before putting out short lines, though I do not think it advisable to buy May corn as yet for investment account. The December shows evidence of some scattered short interest remaining which may be forced to cover, but for every commercial purpose new corn will answer the requirements, and that makes the December at around 55c look very high.

Oats show an undercurrent of strength that is warranted by the conditions. Cash oats are now in excellent demand at a premium over every future month. The stock of contract oats in store here, which was a load on the market for some time, is being taken by shippers, and it looks as if May oats will gradually advance to about 35c. Some successful speculators have large quantities bought, and I believe with the outstanding short interest they will be able to cause the advance that is warranted. Would buy them on every setback. Yours very truly, G. B. PHILLIPS.

### Fire Insurance—Adjustment of Loss

After a loss by fire an insurance company sends its adjuster to investigate the loss. During the time within which the owner of the property was destroyed was entitled to furnish proofs of loss required by the policy, negotiations were conducted which authorized the owner to believe proofs of loss would not be required. In an action based upon the company's refusal to pay the loss, it was held that such conduct upon the part of the adjuster operated as a waiver of the provision of the policy requiring proofs to be furnished within a specified time. 64 Northwestern Rep. 922 (Indiana.)

### Kicking Horses—Liability of Owner

The supreme court of Massachusetts has decided that a horse that has given but one kick, and that in its stable, under circumstances from which to say the kick was vicious, cannot be held to have established a reputation for viciousness, so as to make the owner or the horse liable to one who has received the full force and effect of a second kick.

### Partnerships—Indorsement of Notes

Where a partner constantly used the firm name for the accommodation of others by indorsing notes in the name of the firm for purposes entirely foreign to the partnership, his copartner who did not stop such practice and published no notice of the dissolution of the partnership to the public or to parties who were given credit to the firm name, was stopped from questioning the validity of a note bearing such indorsement, though made after the dissolution of the firm. 64 Northeastern Rep. (New York, Judge O'Brien.)

### JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES

Quotations on Grain and Produce Reported for The Gazette.

RECEIVED BY NORTHERN GRAIN COMPANY, 11 Nov. 20, 1902.

Flour—Retail at 50¢-51¢ per sack.  
Wheat—55¢70¢.  
Rye—44¢45¢ per bu.  
Barley—36¢45¢ per bu.  
Corn—Shelled, 45¢.  
Oats—21¢30¢.  
Clover Seed—\$8.00-\$10.00 per ton.  
Timothy Seed—\$2.25-\$2.75 per 100 lbs.  
Fruit—\$2.00 per ton.  
Beans—\$18.00 per ton.  
Middlings—\$17.50 per ton.  
Meal—\$18.00 per ton.  
Hay—\$8 to \$10 per ton.  
Straw—\$5.00-\$6.00 per ton.  
Potatoes—\$2.00 per ton.  
Rye—\$2.00 to \$2.25 per bushel.  
Kans.—\$2.25-\$2.50 per bushel.  
Butter—Dairy, 20¢; creamery 22¢ lb.  
Hides—Green, 5¢45¢6¢.  
Wool—16¢22¢.  
Felts—Quotable at 20¢35¢.  
Fur—2¢2.50¢.  
Horns—3.00¢4.00¢ per lb.  
Lamb—4¢4.50¢ per lb.  
Veal Calves—5¢ per lb.

### California

Fully described and illustrated in an artistically arranged and beautifully printed book of sixty pages, just issued by the Chicago & Northwestern Ry.; also portraying the scenic beauties, commercial, industrial and transportation advantages of this wonderful state; of particular interest to those contemplating a trip to the Pacific coast. Copy forwarded to any address on receipt of four cents in stamps by W. B. Kniskern, Passenger Traffic Manager, Chicago.

### Excursion Rates for the Holidays

Via the Northwestern Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at reduced rates to points on the North Western System within 200 miles of selling station, December 24, 25, 31 and January 1, good returning until and including January 2, 1903. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Ry.

### To Build Convention Hall.

St. Joseph, Mo., Dec. 5.—At a monster mass meeting of citizens held at the Commercial club \$16,645 was raised toward the erection of the proposed convention hall. Subscriptions to date amount to nearly \$50,000.

### Plan Chamber of Commerce.

Berlin, Dec. 5.—Fifty Americans doing business in this city met and appointed a committee to draw up a plan for an American chamber of commerce. Consul General Mason presided over the meeting.

## VESSELS MENAGE CASTRO'S CAPITAL

### ASSUMES POLICY OF DELAY

President of South American Republic Gives No Hint of What He Intends to Do, but Officials Say State Cannot Settle at Present.

Caracas, Venezuela, Dec. 5.—That Germany and Great Britain are thoroughly in earnest in their intention to take decisive steps to compel Venezuela to pay their claims is evidenced by the arrival at La Guayra of the British cruiser Indefatigable. The warships Charybdis, Quail and Alert will probably arrive to-day, and the Tribune a day or two later.

These vessels, together with the three German cruisers now on the scene, will, it is believed, take immediate steps to coerce Castro's government. It is not known just what steps will be taken by the two governments, but it is certain that an ultimatum, couched in unmistakable language, will be presented in a few days.

### Discuss Plan of Action.

Word was received here that the British and German foreign offices were in correspondence as to a plan of action. It is believed that a decision will be reached in a few days.

In the meantime there is nothing to show what President Castro intends to do in the matter. It is said that he has in mind a plan of action, but does not intend to make it known until the joint ultimatum is presented.

### Venezuela Cannot Pay.

Officials of the government, however, are quoted as declaring that Venezuela is not in any condition at present to meet the claims of the powers, and insist, further, that it would only aggravate matters to seize the customs now. The country, they say, has just concluded a long and trying, though successful, campaign against the rebels, and, naturally, the revenues of the government have suffered. These statements are taken here to mean that Castro will continue to push his policy of delay as long as possible, hoping that either Germany or England may accept the terms offered by his secret commission.

### Business Is Upset.

This city is all excitement, and business is almost at a standstill since the arrival of the warships of the powers. Many wild rumors are afloat, and in many quarters it was reported that La Guayra and this city would be taken, if the government did not yield quickly. These rumors were found to be entirely without foundation, however.

### SILVER DOLLARS ARE SPURIOUS

Financial Expert Thinks Half Circulating Coins May Be Counterfeit.

New York, Dec. 5.—The statement was made at a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce by Francis C. Moore, a well-known financier, that of 80,000,000 silver dollars now in circulation it is likely that not less than 40,000,000 are counterfeit. Mr. Moore stated that the president of one of the leading banks in this city had informed him that of 350 silver dollars turned into the subtreasury by the institution of which he is the head 170 were confiscated by the government as being counterfeit.

### Death of Confederate Nurse.

Florence, Italy, Dec. 5.—Mrs. Ellen Orbeson, widow of John Harris, formerly United States consul at Venice and a distinguished Confederate nurse, died here. She was 86 years of age.

### Tie Vote Causes New Election.

Helena, Mont., Dec. 5.—Gov. Toole has ordered a special election Dec. 20 in Yellowstone county to elect a member of the legislature. The election is necessary because of a tie.

## Baby

Weighted Only Five Pounds.

Restless, Cried Day and Night.

Dr. Miles' Nervine Did Wonders, Cured Her.

A little over two years ago I had a little, nervous baby who weighed only five pounds at birth. At first she was restless and cross and after she was four weeks old she cried day and night, and would not sleep without narcotics. She was so nervous that we did not dare to move when she did sleep a short time, as she would wake screaming as though she was going to have a fit. We called a doctor; he called it infantile colic; said he could relieve her, could not cure her. After a short time the effect of his medicine wore off and I was in despair. I tried all known home remedies and innumerable patent medicines. At last I gave her Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine and she was easy and slept without narcotics. Since that time I have used a dozen bottles and would not be without it. I am now giving it to another baby and it has the same effect, immediate relief always. —Mrs. Vincent Zidek, Verona, N. D.

Three years ago I was taken with nervous prostration, which brought on heart trouble, and my heart would palpitate at every little noise. I had smothering spells so that at times I would nearly sink away. I got one bottle each of Dr. Miles' Nervine and Heart Cure and I could feel good results from the first few doses. They have since effected my permanent cure. I recommend Dr. Miles' Remedies to all who suffer as I did. —Mrs. G. C. James, Fairmont, Nebraska.

All druggists sell and guarantee first bottle Dr. Miles' Remedies. Send for free book on Nervous and Heart Diseases. Address Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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## UNDERGROUND TREATIES

The visit of the Kaiser to England brought out the usual reports of the underground treaties between Germany and Great Britain which, of course, were promptly denied. The visit, according to official statements, was purely one of pleasure. Instead of discussing international complications the Kaiser shot rabbits in such numbers as to call for the enthusiastic praise of sporting Englishmen. The fear of Germany is growing in England, and every movement of the Kaiser excites new apprehensions. We should say there is a sound basis for it. Nothing is more apparent to an unprejudiced traveler in Germany than the bitter hatred of the German people toward England and Englishmen. It pervades all classes of society and shows its head in the press of every party except the socialist. It is far uglier than the mood of the French people at the time of the Fashoda episode, and it has increased rather than diminished since the surrender of the Boers. Popular feeling can sometimes be overlooked in international politics. As General Sherman used to say, "It will evaporate." But in this case it is a matter for serious apprehension because of the undoubted use to which the Kaiser is putting it to increase the support of his naval programme. While pretending a friendly personal feeling toward England, he virtually says to the Anglophobes: "How can you have your revenge on England unless you give me a great navy?" The German citizen is pulled by his animosity to England and hauled by a canny regard for his own purse, which in this period of industrial and commercial depression across the Atlantic, is none too bulky. While Germany continues to suffer from the prolonged financial drought that began after her financial spree a few years ago, the fear of the tax-collector may balance the ungenial ambition of her people to have it out with England.

## JOSEPH CHAMBERLAIN

Another advocate of the "Strenuous Life" is Joseph Chamberlain, the English colonial secretary. Before going out to South Africa to survey the desolation created by his hand, he assured his neighbors that he, like a very great man, President Roosevelt, believed in the s. l. and in "fighting as well as one knew how for the faith that was in one." But he tried not to create personal antagonisms. He had never cherished personal feeling against any man and he had always known how to separate public policy from private character. Unfortunately for Mr. Chamberlain, the world is not so discriminating. It has not the advantage which he possesses of an intimate personal acquaintance with his private virtues and it continues to judge him by his public acts. We expect that he will encounter this difficulty in South Africa, where he intends to charm the new subjects of the king with the genial manner of his friends. It will be hard to convince the homesick Boers that they should not feel personal antagonism to the man who ruined their country and took away their flag. The point is too nice for the Dutch blood.

## IMPORTATIONS

Importations of the manufactures of iron and steel are larger this year than at any time during the last decade. The import figures of the Treasury Bureau of Statistics show that the importations of iron and steel manufactures in the ten months ending with October 1902 are double those of the last year, and three times as much as those of 1898, and are larger than in any year since 1891. The total value of iron and steel manufactures imported in the ten months ending with October 1902 is \$3,987,056 against \$1,649,427 in the same months of last year, and \$1,053,090 in the corresponding months of 1898. In practically every class of articles the figures of the year just ended are larger, both in quantity and in value, than those of last year, and in many cases the figures are more than double those of last year. Pig iron, for example, has increased from 39,336 tons in ten months of 1901 to 406,610 tons in ten months of 1902; igneous, blooms, billets, etc., have increased from 14,791,617 pounds in ten months of last year to 497,304,551 pounds in ten months of the present year.

## PROSPERITY

It has been a question whether the workmen of the country have had their share of "prosperity." In a good many trades the men have received an increase in wages, but apparently little of the greatly enlarged earnings of the railway companies has found its way to the pockets of the railway employees. Recently several railway companies felt obliged to increase wages from ten to fifteen per cent, and other companies are expected to follow the example. It is gratifying to note that the increase was granted with good grace and voluntarily. It should be apparent to every employer that one of two

things must happen; either wages must be increased or the price of living reduced. The price of the necessities of life has mounted steadily until it is far out of proportion to the average wage. The officers of the various railroads deserve all credit for facing the situation fairly and granting the new scale of wages without the wrench to general business conditions that would be caused by a strike.

## JOSEPH CANNON

The most determined candidate for the speakership to succeed General Henderson, Representative Joseph Cannon of Danville, Illinois, is one of the really picturesque figures of national politics, a statesman of the old school that practised statescraft in its shirt-sleeves. But it was also said of equal truth of the school that its followers could walk across a room paved with eggs and never break a shell. Mr. Cannon is a practical politician. His single misstep, or at least the one that proved the most expensive to him, was taken when he permitted himself to make use of an expressive but extremely inelegant figure of speech in debate. It is the recollection of this "bad break" that proved the most stubborn obstacle in the way of his candidacy. In other respects, he is probably as well qualified for the speakership as any other candidate.—Collier's.

The arrangements for escape in hotels in case of fire has been brought home to Janesville people by the sad death of Matthew Fardy in a Chicago hotel fire and the narrow escape of two other Janesville men in the same fire.

New England is trying to stamp out the foot and mouth disease in its cattle. Would it not be a good plan to stamp out something of this order in something else than cattle in this state?

An Ohio man who advertises for a wife with money enough to offset his brains should have plenty of answers to his ad by women with about thirty cents.

The girl who left a trap door open and then ran into it with an armful of dishes may not have broken any bones but she certainly broke a few pieces of china.

John Bacon a former soldier of the Third Wisconsin and later a reporter on the Sentinel is the high mogul at the American consulate in Hong Kong for a brief space of time.

It is safe to say that when Vienna ever establishes that paper for nervous persons, Mr. Hearst will not be asked to manage the sheet.

Work on the new postoffice has been stopped by the snow and bad weather. Will it take as long to build this building as it has the Chicago one?

President Roosevelt had time in the midst of his strenuous life to stop and speak a good word for the poor broken down army horse.

How would you like to be a farmer just now with your cows still eating grass and your hay pile just touched and butter thirty-two cents a pound.

A waiter has been arrested in Chicago for stealing two baked potatoes. Victor Hugo could have built a masterpiece out of a fact like that.

Lieutenant Peary says he is sure he can reach the North Pole if he has the proper means to make the trip placed at his disposal.

The beautiful snow is certainly covering up some of the unsightly defects of the cities as ashes and other annoying subjects for discussion.

Madrid papers are busy just now seeing lots of trouble ahead for Cuba. They always did see trouble ahead for some one.

There is a move on foot to make one of the Milwaukee medical colleges an affiliated school with the university.

That Indiana dog that can hulk corn must be a wonder from the amount of advertising he has received.

John L. Sullivan once had a million dollars but he blew it in and now he has the memory of the time he had.

Those girls who tried Prof. Clark's cheap method of living ran up against a square meal ticket and quit.

Germany is having a quiet little time of its own when it comes to reichstag rows over tariff questions.

Cannon has nothing to hit now but the chair and the desk in front of him. He is IT.

So it actually cost Mr. La Follette some thing to be elected after all.

Georgia honor has been satisfied by an apology. Nice place Georgia.

Next week we may see the Janesville-Deloit interurban running?

That striker in the city hall clock has struck once already yet.

## PRESS COMMENT.

Madison Journal: The State Journal desires to apologize for its haste

in proclaiming Wisconsin as a winter resort.

Milwaukee News: The returns are not all in yet, but from scattered reports it appears that the open time for deer hunting has held the football season a close second in strenuousness.

Milwaukee Journal: The Virginia legislature might as well use legislation to stop mules from kicking as to apply law to prevent kicking.

Racine Journal: Think of it. Five hundred American citizens sat down in a famous London hotel to a Thanksgiving dinner and had a real good time.

Milwaukee Journal: The president says the trusts are only harmful when they are bad, which is the same as with men, only we have jails for the men.

Green Bay Gazette: Troublesome times are in store for school boards. A teachers' labor union has been organized in Chicago and another is projected for Milwaukee.

Milwaukee Wisconsin: It may be said that the New York gamblers are up a pretty stiff front, when they go to the expense of making their street doors of steel plate.

Racine News: A reasonable Sabbath is one of the means of strength renewal which no elements of religion or irreligion should tempt us to forego.

Fond du Lac Commonwealth: The records show that about forty per cent last year were killed this season than last, and about six per cent less men. This indicates that men are not losing popularity as a game animal as fast as the deer.

Fond du Lac Commonwealth: A Vienna physician has announced that blushing is a disease of the nerves, and that people afflicted with it cannot help blushing. This may account for the inability to blush on the part of many people who ought to. They haven't anything the matter with their nerves.

**Standards of Measurement.**  
The "foot" is named from the length of that member in a full grown man. Some say that it was called so from the length of the foot of a certain English king, but it is believed to have been a standard of measurement among the ancient Egyptians. The cubit is from the Latin cubitus, an elbow, and is the distance from the elbow to the end of the middle finger. Fathom is from the Aryan, fat, to extend, and denotes the distance from tip to tip of the fingers when the arms of an average sized man are fully extended.

**Diamonds Under Water.**  
An imitation diamond is never so brilliant as a genuine stone. If your eye is not experienced enough to detect the difference, a very simple test is to place the stone under water. The imitation stone is practically extinguished, while a genuine diamond sparkles even under water and is distinctly visible. When possible, place a genuine stone beside the possible imitation under water, and the contrast will be apparent to the least experienced eyes.

**An Irish Railroad Puzzle.**  
A Santa Fe conductor on a Los Angeles train told a reporter of the San Bernardino Sun that his grandfather remembered a sign which was erected at a point on a double track railroad in Ireland to the effect that "when two trains meet here they must come to a standstill until they have passed each other."

**Something Had to Go.**  
Sufferer—I can't stand it any longer; I'm going to the dentist's this instant to have this tooth out.  
Scientist—Nonsense! Your tooth doesn't ache; it is only your imagination.  
Sufferer—Then I'll have him pull out my imagination.

**Friends.**  
Miss Gush—What do you suppose the result would be if we could hear what our friends say about us in our absence?  
Miss Candor—I think we'd have a trifle more modesty and considerable fewer friends.—Town and Country.

**Stricter Attention.**  
"Why don't you look out at this beautiful scenery?"  
"Oh, I am traveling on business and not for pleasure!"—Filegunde Blatter.

Beware of the woman who loves money more than she loves love.—Chicago News.

## Xmas

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Ladies' and Children's heavy fleeced underwear.....25c  
Men's cotton and wool fleeced underwear.....50c  
Ladies' mercerized petticoats, knife plaited flounce with ruffle on edge only.....95c  
Wool faciators, all colors, large size, only.....25c  
Men's wool hose, only.....15c  
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A few desirable colors in 50c and 60c Brilliantine, going at 25c per yd.  
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**HORSES** wintered at the Buckleton farm; one of the finest barns in the state. Individual stable, warm barn, grain and careful attention. (George Woodruff, administrator.)

## The JANESVILLE BUSINESS COLLEGE

will give a Christmas present of a large reduction in rate to every man, woman or child taking the combination scholarship of bookkeeping, shorthand and type-writing during the month of December. Parents can give no more practical gift to their children than a scholarship in this school, where, while being educationally benefited they are also learning useful trades. Secure scholarship now. Call or send for catalogue. 503-4 Jackson Building.

## TOYS At 5c. Each.

Our Toy Tables are loaded down with 5 cent goods. Bring the children in.

## 5 &amp; 10c STORE

Frank Hinterschied, Prop., 121 W. Mil. St

Find Immense Vein of Coal.  
The Railway Age says: "Surveyors who are fixing the route for the proposed Alaska Central railway claim to have discovered on the proposed line the greatest field of hard coal in the world."

## Plenty of Rich Pure Cream

On every pint bottle of Pasteurized Milk you will find cream enough for breakfast and dinner. Every drop rich, and absolutely pure.

## PASTEURIZED MILK

**BOWER CITY CREAMERY CO.**  
S. River Street

## A LARGE PART of the cost of producing

## Electricity

is for fuel. Ours is furnished by water-power, no fuel being used. By selling light and power cheaper than it can be sold by a steam driven plant we are sharing one of Janesville's natural advantages with our customers. If you are not one, this is your opportunity to

join us in a "good thing"

JANESVILLE ELECTRIC CO.

## The Racket TOYS

And Useful Things Temptingly Priced.

Come and see a store full of Christmas Gifts and things that are handy every day.

See our HAND DECORATED OPAL WARE in Toilet Bottles, Comb and Brush Tray, Collar Box—Cuff Box, Handkerchief Box, Glove Box. All extra large 25c pieces.

Shopping now is comfortable. Later on the rush.

## RIDER'S

168 West Milwaukee Street.

Home Made....

## Candies

Made Daily

Our Bitter Sweets are the best on the market.

Try Them.  
**BONAHOOM & BACCASH.**  
Hayes Building Janesville

## A. O. U. W.

Members Indorse The

## A. O. U. W.

5 Cent

## Cigars.

## Agents Wanted

Men and Women in Janesville and surrounding towns as local agents. \$50.00 weekly easily made. Pleasant permanent work. Call on or address

**C. SLIGHTAM**  
Territory Supt.  
Room 325 Hayes Block, Janesville, Wis.

## NEW CITY HACK LINE

We have started a City Hack Line and will meet all trains day or night. All calls will receive prompt attention. We hope for a share of public patronage. Phone 195395. J. Crall & Son Janesville

## Archie Reid &amp; Co.

DRY GOODS CLOAKS MILLINERY

## More Sample Cloaks

In this week, another line of Cloaks which we offer at our well known sample prices, which means a saving of One Third. This line includes a good showing of Velours in....

## MONTE CARLO..

## BLOUSE EFFECTS.

Judging from the large sale we have had on Misses' and Children's Coats, we believe our line is far the best in town; certain it is that we never sold so many garments in the same time as have been sold so far this season.

## Great Showing of Fall Millinery at Reduced Prices.

## Archie Reid &amp; Co.

DRY GOODS CLOAKS MILLINERY

## Wood to Burn

100 cords large white Oak for chunk and air tight stoves. Also plenty of dry second growth Oak.

## Pocahontas

## COAL

is the best smokeless. We have several cars, any size. Try our Red Jacket, Black Band or Hocking. Can be used anywhere.

## G. W. SAGER,

Both Phones. North Bluff St. Both Phones 111.

## HANDSOME RUGS

made from worn Ingrain and Brussels Carpets, any size desired. Write to Baraboo Towel Mills, "Rug Dept." for circular. Only first class turned out.

BARABOO TOWEL MILLS, Baraboo, Wis

## Pocahontas

## The Correct Coal For the Furnace.

## \$7 Per Ton,

MINE RUN

Smokeless, Sootless,

The greatest heat producer mined, Used by the United States government.

## F. A. TAYLOR



## NEW SIX-CIRCUIT SYSTEM WORKING

LAST CONNECTIONS MADE THIS MORNING WITH BOARD.

## INSTAL SIX-CIRCUIT REPEATER

Old Three-Circuit Repeater Put in Service Ten Years Ago Today.

The new six circuit fire alarm system is now in working order. The final connections with the new switch board and the six circuit repeater in the city hall were made this morning and the test showed the apparatus to be in first class shape for the first alarm that is turned in by the fire alarm.

Under the new six circuit system the city is divided up so that a smaller territory is covered by a circuit and in case anything should happen to the wires only a small portion of the city will be without the protection of the fire alarm system.

An Anniversary.  
It was just three years ago today that the old three circuit repeater was put in service by the city. The new repeater was connected up this morning on the tenth anniversary of the old one. This is also the thirty-third anniversary of the birth of Chief Engineer Klein and he celebrated that event by putting the new repeater in service. Mr. H. Reed of Chicago, the representative of the Gamewell company, has been assisting Mr. Klein in getting the switch board and batteries connected up and is very well pleased with the way the apparatus stood the tests. In speaking of the new system Mr. Reed stated that Janesville could now boast of having as complete a fire alarm system as any city of its size in the country.

## Change in Wires

Chief Klein intends making a number of changes in the wires about the city and when this is done everything will be in first class condition.

## M. M. FARDY'S BODY IS BROUGHT HOME

Is Taken to His Late Home—Funeral Will Be Held Sunday Afternoon.

Funeral services for the late Matthew M. Fardy will be held from St. Patrick's church on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The remains arrived in this city from Chicago on the midnight train and were taken to the undertaking rooms of D. Ryan & Sons, escorted by many of his friends. This morning they were removed to his late home at 156 South Division street.

## Sorrow in the Home

Mrs. Fardy is nervously prostrated by the shock of her husband's death. To the home this tragedy has brought a crushing sorrow for Mr. Fardy was a kind, indulgent husband and father, being devoted to his family.

## STURDY ROYAL WINS SWEEPSTAKES PRIZE

Horse Owned by Galbraith and Son Takes First Award at International Stock Show.

Alex. Galbraith and Son again secured a first award at the Chicago stock show yesterday. In the Clydesdale Special class, Sturdy Royal, a banner horse of the day before, was given first honors as the best stallion of any age. The horse was formerly the property of A. & W. Montgomery of Glasgow, and had won distinguished honors at the Royal Carlisle exhibition before he was purchased by Galbraith and Son and brought to this country.

## WHAT PEOPLE ARE DOING

Retail Clerks: All members of the retail clerks union are requested to attend the meeting this evening at the Caledonian rooms.  
Philoanthropic Club: The Philoanthropic club will meet in social session with Mrs. Walter Helms, 213 South Main street on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 6 at 3 o'clock. All members attending are expected to represent some book.  
Moved The Dynamo: Another of the Janesville Electric company's dynamos was moved to the lower cotton mill plant yesterday afternoon. It is expected that the company will begin supplying power for the Janesville Street Railway company on Sunday.  
Laurel Lodge: The annual meeting for the election of officers of Laurel Lodge No. 2, D. of H., was held last evening and the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: P. C. of H. Hattie Marsden; C. of H. Nellie Ohlweiler; L. of H. Maud Taylor; Recorder, Mary Tanberg; Financial, Maggie Cook; Receiver, Mrs. Duob; Usher, Kate Marshall; F. W. Mrs. Bohan; O. W. Mrs. W. E. Hough; Trustees for three years, Phil Ohlweiler; Capt. Drill Team, Miss Dahlia Duob; Delegate to Grand Lodge, Mrs. Nellie Ohlweiler; Alternate, Anna Lagerman.

## Saturday

Cream flour, 90c.  
Pure Lard, 12c.  
Corn and Gloss starch, per 1 lb package, 5c.  
Best currants or raisins, 1 lb pkg, 10c.  
Best corn per can, 10c, 3 for 25c.  
Oyster and butter crackers per lb, 5c.  
A. C. MUNGER.

Attention, K. of P.  
Regular meeting of Oriental Lodge No. 22, K. of P., this evening. Every member is requested to be present as the election of officers will take place, also work and a final report of the committee on party.

## A Bad Blunder.

One of the greatest mistakes in life is that those who can afford a handsome modern nursery have no children to put in it.—Atchison Globe.

## NOTICE.

The Gazette is willing and pleased to publish all notices of lodge or society meetings, but it has found it necessary to make the rule that all such notices must be written and left at the office before 11 o'clock of the day they are to be published. In the future no notices, except paid ones, will be received over the telephone.

## FUTURE EVENTS

Regular monthly meeting of the Rock County Medical Association at the Hotel Myers this evening.  
Social for the Junior Endeavor society of the Baptist church this evening.  
Senior class banquet and dancing party in honor of the football team at East Side Odd Fellows' hall this evening.  
Meeting of the Social Union Club at the Y. M. C. A. building on this evening.  
Annual meeting of the Rock county Teachers' association at the High school building all day Saturday.  
Elks will observe their annual memorial day by attending divine service at the Christ Church Sunday evening, "The Prince of Pilsen" at the Myers Grand on Wednesday evening, Dec. 10.

## LODGE MEETINGS TONIGHT

Rock River Encampment No. 3, I. O. O. F. at East Side Odd Fellows' hall.  
Oriental lodge No. 22, Knights of Pythias at K. P. hall.  
Peoples' lodge No. 460, I. O. G. T. at Good Templars' hall.  
Bower City Verein No. 36, Germania Unterstuetzungs Verein at East Side Odd Fellows' hall.  
Amalgamated Sheet Metal Workers at Assembly hall.  
Carpenters' union at Assembly hall.  
Stone Cutters' Association of North America at Assembly hall.

## BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

Extra values in sample underwear at Archie Reid & Co.  
Best patent flour 85c. per sack Saturday.  
Northern Grain Co.  
Extra values in sample underwear, at Archie Reid & Co.  
Y. P. S. dance at Assembly hall, Dec. 6th. Smith's orchestra.  
22 lbs. granulated sugar Saturday only 15c. The Fair.  
Buckwheat fancy flour, 30c. sack Saturday.  
Northern Grain Co.  
Y. P. S. dance at Assembly hall, Dec. 6th. Smith's orchestra.  
Buckwheat flour, choice stock, 30c. sack tomorrow. Northern Grain Co.  
3 lb. can extra grade new tomatoes, 10 cts.; 3 cans for 25 cts. The Fair.  
Fine white oats 25c. per bushel at the Northern Grain Co.'s Saturday.  
Winter underwear at sample prices.  
Archie Reid & Co.  
Remember the German supper at the East Side Odd Fellows' Hall tomorrow evening. Everything that is good to eat.  
Double attraction at the rink tomorrow evening. The midge polo teams and the mile race. Don't miss them.  
All 50 cent heavy fleeced underwear goes tomorrow at 40 cts. The Fair.  
Tempering German dishes will be on the bill of fare at the German supper, to be served at East Side Odd Fellows' hall tomorrow evening.  
It's snowing. Boys and girls want to get them at the right price; 25 cts and up.  
The next dancing party of the Y. P. S. will take place at Assembly hall on the evening of Dec. 9. Prof. Smith's full orchestra will furnish the music.  
We guarantee every sack of our patent flour; tomorrow's price, 85c. per sack. Northern Grain Co.  
Men's heavy double sole and tap lace working shoes \$1.75 values go tomorrow at \$1.15 and \$1.25. The Fair.  
Christmas money is well invested if placed in a new rug. The line that Bort, Bailey & Co. are carrying this winter was never more attractive.  
Best patent flour Saturday, 85c. per sack; every sack warranted.  
Northern Grain Co.  
It's getting cold. You need a mitten or a glove. A heavy lined men's woolen mitten, 15 and 20 cts. The Fair.  
Corn meal and graham flour Saturday, 20c. per sack.  
Northern Grain Co.  
Holiday shoppers will find a rug assortment at Bort, Bailey & Co.'s store that would do credit to any of the large city stores.  
At the rink tomorrow evening the famous midge polo teams will battle for honors. This game will be well worth seeing.  
Warm weather during the month of November has compelled Amos Rehberg & Co. to give the public the benefit of a special sale of \$13 suits and overcoats tomorrow at the one price of \$2.55.  
For tomorrow only the clothing firm of Amos Rehberg & Co. will place on special sale every \$15 suit and overcoat in their store at the one price of \$12.50. In this sale are included suits and overcoats worth from \$12 to \$12 at the \$2.55 figure.  
The Mitten Infant pant is something which mothers have been looking for since the olden times. It is given the most hearty approval in all parts of the country. Bort, Bailey & Co. 24 lbs. granulated sugar and 50-pound sack of Cream of Wheat flour Saturday at \$2. The Fair.  
Arbuckle's Arizona coffee. Nash. In the Gazette this evening the Mentor patent infant pant is given much prominence by the dry goods firm of Bort, Bailey & Co. For further particulars see large announcement.  
Amos Rehberg & Co. give the clothing buying public the benefit of a special sale tomorrow which means the selling of \$15 suits and overcoats at the \$12.50 price. The warm weather during the past month has resulted in this cut in price for Saturday only. Salmon the very best, just what others are asking 15 and 18 cts. for, 13 cts., 2 for 25 cts. A good red salmon at 8 cts. The Fair.  
The mile race on roller skates takes place tomorrow evening at the rink. This makes a double attraction for the one price of admission.

## Component Parts of Chalk.

Nearly 300 different kinds of tiny shells go to make up chalk.

## TELLS STORY OF CHICAGO FIRE

PHIL. KOCH WAS IN THE LINCOLN HOTEL.

## HE ESCAPED WITH DIFFICULTY

Tied His Clothes in a Bundle and Then Jumped to an Adjoining Room.

Phil Koch, whose home is at 407 Jackson street, was one of the lucky ones to escape unharmed from the disastrous hotel fire of yesterday morning in Chicago. His success in getting out of the building with his clothes tied in a bundle while Mr. Farly was smothered in his attempt, is graphically told by Mr. Koch.

Early to Bed  
Mr. Koch went to bed early Tuesday night after spending some time with Mr. Farly early in the evening. He had expected to meet Mr. Farly at ten o'clock but on returning to the hotel found he had gone to his room on the fourth floor.

Woke Early  
Mr. Koch woke about five o'clock and failed to get to sleep again. Feeling his eyes burning and smarting somewhat from the electric light he had left burning, he covered them up with a sheet and tried to sleep. Shortly afterward he heard a man run down the hall and the call of fire.

Everything Smoke  
He got up and opening the door found the hall filled with smoke. He then tried to dress but could not get his clothes on so putting them all in a blanket and after throwing the bundle on an adjoining roof sixteen feet below his window jumped. He then made fast a sheet to the cornice of the roof and lowered himself to the alley where he dressed.

Back in Hotel  
Going back up the stairs to the office which was filled with guests trying to dress and he secured his keys from the check room. A little later he was allowed to go to his room and look for his glasses which he found as he had left them. All he lost was a collar and a little necktie.

Great Excitement  
Mr. Koch said it was almost an impossibility for anyone to help anyone else in the excitement and the confusion which was added to by the firemen who rushed up the stairs blocking the guests who were trying to go down. Mr. Koch hunted for Mr. Farly among the missing and later identified his remains at the morgue.

## CITY NEWS NOTES

24 lbs. fine granulated sugar and sack best patent flour \$2.00 at C. D. Stevens store.  
Lowell Co.  
Pictures framed at lowest prices with latest style of moulding.  
Car apples, all fancy varieties, \$2.50 per barrel. Come quick before you lose your chance. Fair.  
Savings Store, No. 7, S. Jackson St. 22 lbs. fine granulated sugar, \$1.00 at C. D. Stevens store. —Lowell Co.  
Durant leather goods, consisting of music rolls, purses, card cases, cigar cases, toilet cases and collar and cuff boxes. Savings Store, 7 S. Jackson St. Finest ten reduced 25c. a lb at C. D. Stevens store. —Lowell Co.  
Large variety of dolls of every description, from 1c upward at The Savings Store, No. 7 S. Jackson St. Finest 5 lb pails Mocha and Java coffee, \$1.00. —Lowell Co.  
A large line of holiday goods at low prices. Call and see them.  
Savings Store, 7 S. Jackson St. Finest porter house steak. Finest sirloin steak. Finest chickens and turkeys. Sausages of all kinds. —Lowell Co.  
Finest 3 pound can of tomatoes 10 cents. —Lowell Co.  
An error in W. W. Nash's local last evening made Northern Spys apples 2c per peck, in place of 25c per peck. 22 lbs of fine granulated sugar, 10c. —Lowell Co.

It is well for those who desire to consult a reliable source with regard to glasses or eye defects that W. F. Hayes will be at F. C. Cook & Co.'s tomorrow and Monday. His experience covers many years. His success has been most marked. Your case is perfectly secure in his hands. Attend Spencer's closing out sale tomorrow and make the purchase of Hannan \$6 shoes and the Foster shoe worth \$5. for the sum of \$3. This sale is your gain. Don't wait till it is too late.  
Finest sweet peas, 2 cans 15 cents. —Lowell Co.  
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The Christmas number of Fashions, published by Messrs. Archie Reid & Co., is out today. This holiday number proves to be a very handsome and interesting issue. It contains several very good Christmas stories, and the illustrations are very artistic. The center page is devoted to a reproduction of the most celebrated Madonnas by the old masters and is well worth framing. The regular departments are all of timely interest. We would advise our readers to call on Archie Reid & Co. at once and make sure of securing a copy.

## The Cost of Warfare.

Since 1850 the world has expended \$200,000,000 in waging war, and four times that sum in holding standing armies in readiness.

## Negro More Than 110 Years Old.

One of the oldest men in the south is Uncle Jos Donaldson, a negro living at Gainesville, Ga., who has just passed his one hundred and tenth year. One peculiarity about him is that he does not claim to have seen Washington.

## NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

Henry Ebbott of Edgerton is one of the jurors in the Davis case.

C. W. Kemmerer is suffering as the result of a sprained cord in his leg. S. D. Green of Edgerton was in the city on business yesterday.

Liam H. Young, the Chicago alderman, has been visiting his brother, David Young.

Mrs. W. J. Baumann and her sister, Mrs. William J. Irwin, are visiting friends in Chicago.

Archie Reid spent yesterday in Chicago and was looking up the latest in novelties for his store.

Philip Koch, one of the survivors of the Lincoln hotel fire returned home last evening on the 10:50 train. George J. Powell is home from a three weeks' hunting trip to Star Lake. He brought a fine deer home with him.

John Nelson went to Beloit today to take up work in C. A. Emersons drug store, leaving his position with H. E. Ranous & Co. in this city.

A regular meeting of the B. of R. T. will be held Sunday afternoon at 1:30 sharp. There will be an election of officers and all members are requested to be present.

Louis Schmidley has returned from his studies at Milwaukee. On Wednesday he took his pharmaceutical examination, under the state board of examiners, at Madison, and yesterday evening he returned to this city to remain for the present.

## MANY LADIES WERE WELL ENTERTAINED

Mrs. C. D. Stevens and Mrs. E. B. Helmstreet Gave a Pleasant Afternoon Card Party.

White chrysanthemums and pink carnations in profusion, with several potted plants, added beauty to the parlors of Mrs. C. D. Stevens' home, 13 Milwaukee avenue, in which a company of about seventy ladies were handsomely entertained yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Stevens and Mrs. E. B. Helmstreet were the hostesses and the party was the second of the afternoon luncheons given by these ladies recently. Shortly after two o'clock the parlors were filled with the handsomely gowned guests who were soon seated at the card table, deep in the enjoyment of six-handed euchre. Mrs. J. B. Brownell was the fortunate winner of the salad bowl offered as a lucky number prize and Mrs. J. B. Dearborn and Mrs. Jerome Cunningham were tied for the consolation prize. Mrs. Dearborn securing the plate when the two ladies cut the cards to decide the tie.

After the card games a dainty three course luncheon was prettily served the hostesses being assisted by Mesdames E. E. Johnson, F. H. Baack, M. E. St. John, H. S. McGiffin and W. H. Cornett and Miss Genevieve Rich.

## WAS TAKEN ILL ON WAY TO LUNCHEON

Mrs. C. T. Winslow Was Forced to Return Home, and Is Confined to Her Bed.

While on her way to the luncheon given by Mrs. C. D. Stevens and Mrs. E. B. Helmstreet yesterday afternoon Mrs. Caleb T. Winslow was taken seriously ill and is now confined to her bed at her home, 304 Jackson street, in a partially helpless condition. While she is suffering from many of the symptoms of a slight paralytic stroke, Dr. Pember, the attending physician, asserts that there has been no actual stroke.

Started For Party  
Mrs. Winslow, Mrs. Sarah A. Hullihen, Mrs. Stanley B. Smith and Mrs. Edward P. Doty started from their Forest Park homes shortly before two o'clock yesterday afternoon, to attend the Stevens-Helmstreet party. Mrs. Winslow complained of not feeling well and before the ladies had gone very far the trouble became so serious that Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Doty returned with her to her home.

Is More Comfortable  
The left side of Mrs. Winslow's face and her right arm were affected and her speech was slightly impaired. Her friends, helped her into bed and Dr. J. P. Pember was summoned. Today Mrs. Winslow was much more comfortable and had partly regained the use of her arm. Her daughter, Mrs. H. D. Hoover, is away from home having been visiting friends in other cities for several weeks past.

"All the bean but the armor plate. The American bean brought up-to-date."

The cook has her work made easy now.

She can cook beans, even if she don't know how.

Better for health, nicer to eat. Do you more good than a pound of meat.

The hull is removed, but the bean is left.

And of its nutrition it's not bereft. Your brain, nerve and muscle will gain by this food.

Just buy it, and try it, you'll say it is good.

Better than cereals, you know what that means—

There is nothing better than American Hulled Beans.

—All Grocers.

Potato bread is harder to make but Grubb says it is the only bread. Costs you no more.

Grubb's hot raised biscuit sell at 10 cts. per dozen.

Boston steamed brown bread at Grubb's, 5 cts. per loaf. Cream puffs like Grubb's; 30 cts. doz. For a dainty cup cake see Grubb's, 10 and 12 cts. doz.

Grubb is making candy. 10 cts. for pound cream candy. 15 cts. for pound molasses taffy. 15 cts. for pound peanut brittle. 20 cts. for pound almond brittle. 25 cts. for pound fine chocolate. 35 cts. for pound bitter sweets. Many varieties of Grubb's box candies, 5 and 10 cts. each and up to 25 and 40 cts.

## TELEPHONE LINES IN BAD CONLITION

STORMS HAVE LEFT POLES LYING ON GROUND.

## LINESMEN CAME LAST NIGHT

Several Gangs of Men Are Now Making Their Headquarters in This City.

Telephone and telegraph linesmen are doing a rushing business. In every distance the highways are strewn with broken poles and a mesh of tangled wires. Every company operating in this city has suffered to a greater or less degree, although in the majority of cases communication was not cut off, although the lines were reduced to a mass of wreckage.

Two gangs of men for the Western Union company arrived in the city yesterday. The larger had about fifteen men, and reached here late in the evening. They have been at work at Peoria, Ill. They have some hard work ahead of them, many of the poles having been broken short off. In some cases the use of the line has been entirely cut off.

A force for the Wisconsin Telephone company also arrived yesterday. There are only about a half dozen men now on the ground but it is understood that the gang will be increased to twenty or thirty. Their direct line to Milwaukee is down and broken. The only way that they can establish communication with the Cream City is via Fort Atkinson.

Both the Postal Telegraph and American Telephone and Telegraph companies have also been sufferers. The latter company especially has lost a large number of poles, and their long distance wires are badly crossed. On the Badger State line difficulty has been experienced in talking with all of the exchanges on the toll list, although the conditions are rapidly being remedied. Towards Madison the greatest damage was done.

Even in this city a great number of poles are down. On Milton avenue several poles are lying on the ground, and the same is true in other parts of the city.

Those linemen who have come from the Elroy and Mauston district report great havoc which has been done by the storms in that section of the state. Mile after mile of line has been thrown out of service, causing damage which it will take a long time to thoroughly repair. The gangs of men who have come from the opposite direction say that the worst scene of destruction is this side of Clinton. Trainsmen between this city and Milton speak of the destruction visible from the trains as very great.

## To The Public

From this date anyone giving credit to my son, Charles Shuler, on my account does so at their own risk. I will not become responsible for his action.

J. C. Shuler.

## Snider's Oyster Cocktail Sauce

Is being served free at our store. We are simply advertising it and giving free samples. We want everybody to know how good it is.

## Be Sure to Come In.

Highly Colored, only 30 cents a dozen.

## First Navel Oranges

are going out lively BY THE BARREL

\$2.75 and \$3.00.

Ours have the quality.

## Apples

are going out lively BY THE BARREL

\$2.75 and \$3.00.

Ours have the quality.

## Cottage Cheese Saturday Afternoon.

## Home Made

NUT CAKES, COOKIES, DOUGHNUTS AND MINCE MEAT.

If you want something extra telephone to

Phone 9.

## Dedrick Bros.

## JANESVILLE BOY ONE OF SEVEN

L. E. Schmidley Passes Pharmaceutical Examination in Milwaukee This Last Week.

Louis Schmidley today received word from Madison that he had passed the State Board of Pharmacy examination which now makes him a full-fledged druggist. Mr. Schmidley's host of local friends will extend congratulations.

## "Jug" Medicine.

Up in a little Vermont town they tell a story of an old nurse. She was the kind of an old nurse to be found in small towns, who comes, after much urging, to "tend" a case and who has many Salley Gump peculiarities.

Miss Sally, as she was called, was induced to come to the house of the sick woman and take charge. She moved in—cob pipe, batch of starched aprons, knitting and all.

After the good creature had seen the case through she said to the doctor, "Doc, kin I take my toll?"

"What's that, Sally?" asked the visiting physician who had come from the capital city and was amused and a little irritated by the old woman's ways.

"I mean the medicine," said the nurse complacently.

"The medicine?" exclaimed the doctor. "What on earth do you want with the medicine?"

No fifth wheel to a wagon was ever more redundant than left over medicine.

"I puts it in me Jug," replied the old woman slowly, "and then I gives it out occasionally when there ain't no doctor nigh."

The visiting physician roared with laughter, but sobered down when the story of old Sally's "Jug" medicine was explained to him. That there were not more victims to her unique method of cure was a mystery.—New York Herald.

## TODAYS MARKET REPORT.

From the Madison, Nodan Co., 304 Jackson Block, Janesville.

C. L. Cutler resident manager.	Open	High	Low	Close
May.....	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/4	75 1/4
Dec.....	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/4	75 1/4
May.....	43 1/4	43 1/4	43 1/4	43 1/4
Dec.....	43 1/4	43 1/4	43 1/4	43 1/4
May.....	32 1/4	32 1/4	32 1/4	32 1/4
Dec.....	30 1/4	30 1/4	30 1/4	30 1/4
May.....	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Dec.....	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
May.....	9 02	9 02	8 80	9 02
Dec.....	9 00	9 00	8 77	9 00
May.....	8 22	8 20	8 20	8 22
Dec.....	8 35	8 35	8 35	8 37

## CHICAGO CAR LOT RECEIPTS

To-day Contract. —Est. Tomorrow

Wheat.....	120	120	120	120
Corn.....	120	120	120	120
Onions.....	120	120	120	120

## NORTH-WEST RECEIPTS (Wheat).

Chicago	Today	Last Week	Year Ago
Chicago.....	120	120	120
Minneapolis.....	120	120	120
Duluth.....	120	120	120

## Live Stock Markets.

Market		steady	steady
Beeves....	3 50@ 8 10		
Calves & heifers	1 75@ 4 75		
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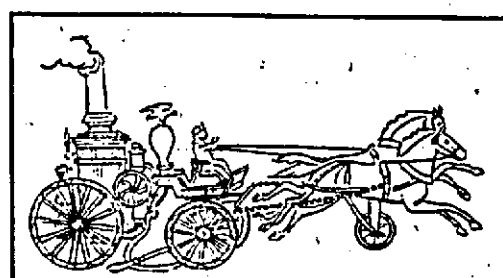
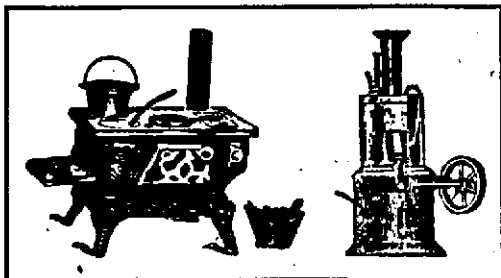


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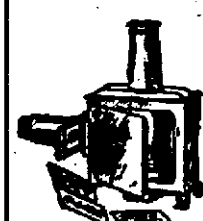
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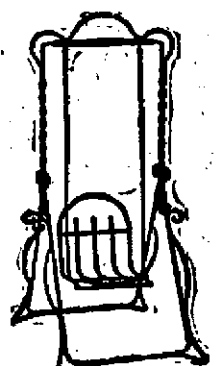
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WE have everything to be desired in Dolls, from the smallest to the largest and finest Kid Body Dolls from 25c to \$5.00 but will be sold at a tremendous cut in price. Don't forget to notice the beautiful sewed wigs on our Dolls, that the little ones can comb and curl to their satisfaction. All have full jointed bodies. Come early while assortment is complete. The line of Dressed Dolls were never so pretty as this year. Prices from 10c to \$4.00. Will be sold at an enormous sacrifice.



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A \$300.00 Piano for \$200.00.  
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Any of these on our easy payment plan.

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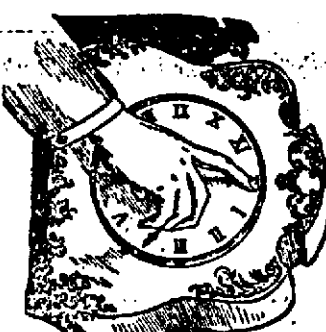
A GOOD, new upright Piano for \$167. A fine Piano, walnut case, does not show a scratch, has been rented a short time to go for \$150.00. Old instruments taken in exchange at full value. We are sole agents for the Famous Regina Music Boxes; finest in the world. Come to our Store and Hear Them.

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